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- 1. Revocation of Prior Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorneys of Record;
- 2. Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b); and
- 3. Return postcard.

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